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WILSON BEGINS CONFERENCES ON PEACE TREATY

Senator McCumber, Supporter, First to Appear at the White House.

KNOX IS GIVEN INVITATION

President Wants to Talk With Author of Resolution For Separating Treaty and the League of Nations Covenant; Others to See Executive.

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, July 17.—President Wilson today began conferences with Republican senators for discussion of the peace treaty and the League of Nations covenant. His first caller was Senator McCumber of North Dakota, a supporter of the treaty and the covenant.

Three others, Senators Jones of Washington, Colt of Rhode Island and Nelson of Minnesota, had been invited to call at the White House during the day, but Senator Jones was out of the city. The President expected to see Senators Colt and Nelson this afternoon.

Senator P. C. Knox of Pennsylvania, member of the Foreign Relations committee, and author of the resolution providing for separation of the treaty and the league covenant, was invited yesterday to confer with the President at the White House, also Senator Lodge, chairman of the committee, and thirteen other senators, practically the entire Republican membership of the committee.

The invitations were personal. Each senator will be granted an interview of an hour, if desired. The committee as a whole has not been asked to appear. The President proposes to make good his statement that all information in his possession is at the disposal of the committee.

Invitations to several more Republican Senators to call at the White House tomorrow have been sent by the President. It was announced. Their names were not disclosed but it was understood that there were five on the list.

It was intimated that the President plans to invite all of the Republican Senators to the White House, devoting four or five hours each day to conferences with them. Senator Borah, Idaho; and Johnson California, two of the bitterest opponents of the League of Nations, were expected to be on the list but there apparently was some doubt in administration circles whether they would accept.

Under present plans of the President it was not believed that he would be able to start on his trip to the Pacific coast much before the end of the month.

Senator McCumber was closeted with the President for more than an hour. He declined to discuss details of his conference saying he considered them confidential. "Our conversation covered a wide range," said Senator McCumber, "and if the President wants to say what we talked about that is all right, but as far as I am concerned I consider that our conversation was confidential and do not feel at liberty to disclose what happened."

Senator McCumber added that his position in regard to the League of Nations "had been made as clear as the English language could make it," and that his position now was the same as it always had been. Senator McCumber would not say whether the Shantung situation was under discussion.

Without a record vote or debate the Senate today adopted the resolution by Senator Borah, Republican, Idaho, asking the President to send to the Senate "if not incompatible with the public interest" a copy of the protest said to have been made by some members of the American peace commission against the Shantung provision in the peace treaty.

LIMIT SUGAR SALE

Some Stores Allow Only Two Pounds to a Customer.

Sugar was being sold in two pound lots in some of the city retail stores today. A decided scarcity of sugar has culminated in the method by some dealers to conserve their supply and assure as wide distribution as possible.

Wholesalers have been通知, it is said, that shipments are on the way which will relieve conditions.

Several million pounds of sugar held by the government and soon to be released to domestic consumers should assure a plentiful supply and perhaps reduce prices, retailers say.

Bayham Fails Again.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., July 17.—Frederick P. Raybourn failed again today to get away on an attempted trans-Atlantic flight in his Martinsyde plane. The machine arose only 30 feet and then crashed to the ground. It was completely wrecked but neither Raybourn nor his navigator, Lieutenant Conrad H. Biddlecombe, was injured.

Boston Cars Halted.

BOSTON, July 17.—Car service on the street, subway and elevated lines here and in 12 adjacent cities and towns was tied up today by a strike of 8,000 union employees of the Boston Elevated Lines, were witnesses at today's session of the Federal Electric Railway Commission. Both witnesses identified that increased fares had been resorted to in their respective cities in an effort to relieve the company's financial embarrassment without success.

CUMBERLAND RAILWAY SYSTEM AND POWER PLANT IN GIANT ELECTRIC UTILITIES MERGER

By Associated Press.

CUMBERLAND, Md., July 17.—It was announced today that a New York syndicate is about to take over the Cumberland Electric railway system and the plant of the Edison Electric Illumination company, allied corporations of which former United States Senator George L. Wellington is president. Mr. Wellington declared today that the company had been approached regarding the sale of their properties and such a thing is an early probability.

The plans, it was said, call for the connecting up of all the towns by trolley, forming a system between Cumberland and Elkins and Grafton, W. Va. Senator Wellington said that the ownership of the Cumberland properties would be necessary to carry

FLEEING BROKER CAUGHT AS HE IS OFF FOR JAPAN

Search of Two Months For John W. Worthington, Accused of \$135,000 Theft, Ends at Vancouver.

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, July 17.—John W. Worthington, former Chicago broker, wanted in connection with the theft of \$135,000 worth of securities from the Crittenton Brokerage company of Pittsburgh last February, has been captured in Vancouver, B. C., according to word received here today. The search for the fugitive had been carried on for two months by United States secret service and Department of Justice officials.

Worthington was placed under bond of \$10,000 in the municipal court on May 20, following his arrest in connection with the Pittsburgh robbery. He fled the city and was arrested while preparing to sail for Japan. He is being held by the Canadian authorities pending extradition.

UNIONTOWN'S CELEBRATION BEGINS TODAY

Feature is Dedicated This Afternoon of County Honor Roll Program Tonight.

Uniontown's welcome home celebration to its soldiers opened this morning when Bugler Stephen A. Winters sounded reveille from the top of the Fayette Title & Trust building at 7 o'clock. At 8 o'clock the presidential salute of 21 bombs was fired. Mayor William H. Smart delivered the address of welcome at 10 o'clock.

The principal feature of today is the dedication of the county honor roll. This took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock. The dedication was also in the form of a memorial to soldiers who had died in the war. Rev. E. A. Hocil delivered the address.

An address at 3 o'clock by Lieutenant Colonel Edward Martin of the 18th Infantry and another by Rev. Thomas F. Cosley of Pittsburgh completed the afternoon program, supper being served the soldiers at 6 o'clock.

The program, under the direction of Connellsville persons, will close the day at the speedway.

Tomorrow is the big day of the reception and will be featured by a pageant which promises to be the largest in Uniontown's history. The service men will be given a place of honor and at least 50 other organizations are expected to be in line.

All Uniontown business will suspend at noon tomorrow. The day will close at 9 o'clock with fireworks on the Miller Terrace.

OVERRULES MEMURER

Brewers in Philadelphia Lose in Legal Fight.

By Associated Press.

PHILADELPHIA, July 17.—Judge C. E. Dickinson in the United States District Court here today overruled the demurral of the Bergner and Eagle Brewing company to the test case against them for the sale of two and three-fourths per cent beer.

The judge held the court could not pass in advance on a question that should be brought before a jury. The brewers contend the information brought against them by the United States District Attorney Kane was defective in that it failed to specify that beer is intoxicating.

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Governor Crow Bill.

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out this big merger scheme. It is understood that electric power would be transmitted several hundred miles from a central plant to be located in the Allegheny mountains, which would be operated by water power from a system of dams.

Candidates for Judge.

BOSTON, July 17.—Car service on the Copeland of Greensburg have filed nominating petitions for the office of judge of the court of common pleas of Westmoreland county.

Salary Boost Disapproved.

A bill to increase the salaries of county commissioners of all counties except Philadelphia and Allegheny was vetoed by Governor Sprout yesterday.

BOY SCOUTS ENJOY "THE ONLY LIFE" AT CAMP WILDWOOD

Thirty-five Having the Time of Their Lives Along Indian Creek; Largest Outfit Yet.

Camp Wildwood, in the Indian Creek valley, where the Boy Scouts of Connellsville are living the "only life," is now settled down to its regular schedule. Word from the boys in the camp is that no one has any idle moments on his hands and the program which is carried out each day with some variations indicates the boys are making use of every hour.

There was a general mixup on the arrival of the first regular contingent. Thirty-five boys made up the group but Scout Commissioner R. C. Witt, who is director of the camp, soon had things in order and the scouts assigned to their various tents.

Troop No. 4 has the largest number of boys in the camp, 21 representatives of that body being there. Troop No. 5 has 16, Troop No. 1, eight, while Troops 2 and 3 together have 13. This is the largest scout camp ever held.

Following is the camp schedule:

6:30—Reverie.
6:45—Setting up exercises.
6:55—Morning dip.
7:10—Flag raising.
7:20—Breakfast.
8:00—Morning council.
8:15—Bank open.
8:45—Necessary chores.
9:15—Call to quarters; inspection.
9:30—Bible (Scout tests given).
11:00—Dinner.
11:30—Scout call to dinner.
1:00—Bank open, rest hour.
1:30—Games.
4:00—Swimming.
5:00—Open.
6:00—First call to supper.
6:15—Supper.
7:00—Lowering of flag.
7:10—Open.
9:00—Campfire, story telling, rhythmic exercises.
10:00—Taps.

There are a couple of freaks in camp, including Harry Baldy Evans. He reminds one of a baldheaded boy with his hair shaved so close that it serves for a mirror. For the first time a Connellsville scout camp has "cubs" among it. These cubs are not bears but real live boys working hard to become Boy Scouts in the future. They are John Edmunds, Joe Lisinger and Jack Horner. The cubs have a tent all to themselves and are given the privileges of scouts.

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MISS MARY WHITE, A NURSE OVERSEAS, REACHES NEW YORK

Local Young Woman Joined Army in France Last November; Others Returning.

Miss Mary C. White, one of the few trained nurses from Fayette county to see overseas service, arrived in New York Sunday night and will be home soon, according to word received yesterday. Miss White is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James White of Witter Avenue. She was with Base Hospital No. 69. She had been in France since last November.

Private Enril Welz, son of Mrs. Ida Welz of Greenwood, has returned home from overseas service. His brother, First Class Private Ernest Welz, is at Camp Merritt and will be home Sunday. Miss Frieda Welz, a trained nurse, was honorably discharged from the service some time ago.

Corporal Daniel Baker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Piero Baker of Dunbar, and Private Bernard O'Connor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard O'Connor of the West Side, have arrived at Camp Mills from France and expect to return home within the next few days. Both were attached to the Medical Supply Department.

James C. Munson, a member of Company K, 21st Engineers, returned home this morning from Camp Dix, N. J., where he received his honorable discharge after serving for a year overseas.

Mrs. W. C. Crouse of South Connellsville received a message this morning announcing the arrival in New York Tuesday of her son, Glaser F. Birkhart, also the cheering news that he will shortly be home. Just this week came a letter from France saying he hoped to be home about July 8. At that time he had been assigned to Casual Company 1,599.

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FATHER LAMBING'S 40TH ANNIVERSARY IS BEING OBSERVED

Celebration of Long Pastorate at Scottdale Begins With Morning Mass.

BANQUET THIS EVENING

Gathering About Festal Board Will Follow Solemn Benediction at St. John's Church; Well-Known Minister Came to Mill Town July 17, 1879.

Special to The Courier.

SCOTTDALE, July 17.—Today, the people of St. John's church, the congregation are celebrating the 40th anniversary of the pastorate of the Very Rev. M. A. Lambing.

At 8 o'clock this morning a solemn high mass was celebrated by Father Lambing, assisted by Rev. Michael P. Boyle and Rev. Patrick Dickey as deacon and sub-deacon, respectively, with Rev. Paul J. Glenn master of

ceremonies. Monsignor Stephen Walsh preached the festal sermon.

Solemn benediction will be given at 7:15 o'clock this evening by Father Lambing, assisted by Fathers S. J. Schraman, pastor of St. George's church, Pittsburgh, and Peter Riger of Clonskaw, Pleasant in the sanctuary will be Rev. Bishop Canevin attended by Fathers M. J. Hegerich and John Hackett as chaplains, and Rev. Aurelius Siebie, O. S. B., D. B. Abbott of St. Vincent Archabbey, Beauty, Pa., attended by Fathers Henry Deville and L. D. McNamee of Connellsville. After benediction 40 little girls dressed in white will advance in procession to the sanctuary and present to Father Lambing 40 American Beauty roses, a token of the children's love and esteem.

At 8 o'clock a banquet, prepared and served by the ladies of the parish, will be held for Father Lambing, the visiting prelates and priests and the men of the congregation.

Father Lambing was appointed pastor of the Catholics of Scottdale and vicinity on July 17, 1879, three years after his ordination to the priesthood.

The history of his pastorate, for under the guidance of the young congregation that used to worship in the little frame building on "Pigeon Hill," Ererson, has steadily increased until it has become one of the most important parishes in the Pittsburgh diocese. When Father Lambing assumed the pastorate of St. John's the parish extended from Pleasant Unity on the north to Connellsville on the south.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS

ELECTED FOR THE YEAR

At a meeting of the Sunday school board of the First Methodist Episcopal church, held Wednesday evening, the following officers were elected:

Superintendent, S. B. Henry; assistant superintendent, W. J. Hicks; secretary, Miss Gertrude Lindsay; treasurer, J. M. Franks; assistant secretary, Miss Esther Muth; assistant secretary, Miss Mabel Vant; librarian, W. P. Clark; chorister, Grant Myers; pianist, Miss Pauline Kooser; assistant pianist, Miss Lester McDonald; temperance superintendent, Miss L. E. Michael; missionary superintendent, Mrs. James McCaffrey; and treasurer, Miss Elizabeth Williams; home department superintendent, Mrs. William Alter; superintendent beginners' department, Miss Jessie Harris; superintendent primary department, Miss Edna Coway; superintendent junior department, Miss Grace Leckemyer; and superintendent intermediate department, Miss Isabel Nagle.

Fraternity Plans for Camp.

Plans for the first annual camp of the Unity Fraternity have been taken up and a committee appointed to go ahead with arrangements. The camp will be held the last three weeks of August at Guard, Md. About 100 members of the "frat" will be at the camp. The committee in charge of arrangements is composed of James Driscoll, D. K. Dilworth, Paul McDonald, Walter Morton and William J. Bixler.

D. of A. to March.

Members of the Daughters of America who expect to take part in the parade in Uniontown tomorrow are asked to leave here on the 11:15 o'clock street car.

Buttermore Reunion.

The annual reunion of the Buttermore family will be held Saturday, July 26th at the Matilda farm instead of August 2, as previously announced. West Penn cars arriving at Murphy Siding between 8:30 and 11:30 A. M. will be met by automobiles.

Enjoyable Dance.

Shady Grove park was the scene of an enjoyable dance given last evening under the co-sponsorship of B. E. Miller, R. D. Adams and William Divens. Music was furnished by Mac's Melody Miners of Phillipsburg.

Altruism Bible Class Meets.

Mrs. W. H. Berger entertained the Altruism Bible class, of which she is teacher, of the Christian church Tuesday evening at her home in Vine street. Fifteen members and guests were present. A business meeting was held, followed by a social session and refreshments. Miss Anna Fay, Thompson of Bellire, O., and Miss Eliza Edwards of Crossland, both students of Bethany college, and Miss Doris Cunningham, a student at William Wood college, were guests.

Reed-Deyarman.

Miss Margaret Eleanor Reed, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Reed, of Uniontown, and David Edward Deyarman of South Brownsville, were married Wednesday in the Ashby Methodist Episcopal church in Uniontown, the bride having the honor of being the first member to be married in the new church. Rev. Dr. J. M. Thoburn, officiated. Mrs. Deyarman is one of the best known young women of Uniontown and is a granddaughter of the late Rev. Josiah Mansell of Upperminetown, one of the early pioneer Methodist ministers. She was graduated from the California State normal and has taught in the schools of Fayette county and also in the city schools of Amsterdam. The bridegroom is a son of Squire and Mrs. Herbert Deyarman of Jefferson township and a nephew of Mr. Robt. Deyarman of Dawson. Following a wedding trip to Atlantic City and other points of interest Mr. and Mrs. Deyarman will be at home in South Brownsville.

Women's Guild Meets.

At the regular meeting of the Women's Guild of the Trinity Episcopal church held last evening in the

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Miss Katherine Tally left yesterday for Chicago to visit her cousins, Misses Florence and Nellie Tally.

Mrs. Fred Pitham and children of Grove City, have returned home after a visit with the former's mother, Mrs. May James.

The best place to shop after all Brownell Show Company—Adv.

Mrs. Stanley Jackson and little daughter, Dorothy, of Jacksonsville, Fla., who are the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Smith of Ninth street, Greenwood, returned last evening from Pittsburgh, where they visited relatives.

Slug praises to Dad, to "Dear Old Dad." The waltz song with a heart. Woolworths—Adv.—27-ff.

The condition of Dr. G. W. Newcomer, who is a patient at a sanitarium at Battle Creek, Mich., according to word received by Dr. A. J. Colborn from the nurse, he is A. J. Colborn about in a chair.

Miss Irene Buttermore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Buttermore of South Prospect street, who was graduated this year from the commercial department of the city high school, has secured a position in the stenographic department of the Union Switch and Signal company at Swissvale.

Mrs. Basil J. Sonson went to Pittsburgh this morning.

Mrs. J. J. Dougherty and daughter of East Cedar avenue, are in Pittsburgh today.

Mrs. O. L. Eaton, Mrs. William Brickman and Mrs. L. P. McCormick are spending the day in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. R. S. Breshar and sister, Miss Anna Freshley, went to Pittsburgh this morning.

Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Cochran and daughter, Mary Caroline, and Miss Edna Cook left Tuesday night for Atlantic City. Miss Harriet Huston, sister of Mrs. Cochran, of Dawson, left this morning for the seashore to join the party. Dr. Cochran will return tonight.

Mrs. S. M. Goodman of the Young House is visiting in Pittsburgh.

Nir. and Mrs. L. J. Buttermore and daughter, Jane, who have been camping at Guard, Md., returned home today. Mrs. G. S. Connell, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Buttermore, who spent several days at the camp, returned home yesterday.

Mrs. Alice Bell and daughter, Mrs. Alice Davis, and son, Andrew, of Pittsburgh, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Rose of North Pittsburg street.

Mrs. W. R. Jones of Wilkinsburg, who has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome McCormick of West Fayette street, has returned home. She was accompanied by her niece, Hilda Mae Benford.

Miss Genevieve Soisson of West

ORE SHIPMENTS

To July 1 Fell Off 5,000,000 Tons, but

Shipments Have Accumulations.

Shipments of iron ore down the lake totalled 7,850,839 tons in June,

against 9,921,360 tons in June of last year. The season total to July 1 is 16,065,412 tons, against 19,910,730 tons last year.

While there is a decrease of nearly 3,000,000 tons, it must be remembered that last season's ore movement was on the basis of full operation of the blast furnaces to the opening of navigation this year, and the furnaces have run far from full, so that there is an accumulation of ore at furnaces and on Lake Erie docks that must be liquidated.

RURAL CARRIER TESTS

Examinations Announced For Many

Places in County on August 9.

Civil service examinations to fill the position of rural carrier at Adam, Belle Vernon, Dawson, Smithfield, Champion, Connellsville, Dunbar, Fayette City, Normalville, Point Marion and Smock will be held at Connellsville, Uniontown and Brownsville on August 9. The examinations are open to all citizens, including women who are domiciled in the respective areas.

Application blanks and necessary information may be secured at any of the above named post offices.

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MARRIAGE DENIED.

Miss Florence Mae Hart of Normalville denies the report of her marriage to Milford C. Johnson of Armbrust,

said to have been solemnized on last

Thursday in Pittsburg. Miss Hart has

been elected to a school at West Leis-

erding and expects to take up her

duties at the beginning of the term.

"PARMA MISTAKES."

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Ogletree of "Glen

View," near Leiserington No. 1, will

be host and hostess at the monthly

meeting of the Union Farmers Club

of Fayette County Saturday. The topic for discussion is "Parma Mistakes

We Are Likely to Make."

DR. C. H. SHERRY.

The well-known chiropractor has recovered from a broken arm and will be in his Uniontown office starting next week, Monday, Thursday and Saturday. He invites all his Connellsville patients to call by phone and make appointments.—Adv.—17-17.

1,293 MORE TROOPS HOME.

NEW YORK, July 17.—Forty-seven

casual companies were among the

1,293 troops arriving here today from

Marseilles on the steamship "Tsars."

They were organized from men living

in Pennsylvania, West Virginia and

Ohio.

DANCE.

Big home-coming dance in the Standard rooms, Uniontown, Thursday evening. Dancing, 8:30 to 12. Music by Bowers' six-piece orchestra. Committee, Ira C. Williams.—Adv.—17-17.

SKIRTS TO BE SHORTER.

NEW YORK, July 17.—Skirts will be

shorter or narrower this fall. The

Dress Fabric Buyers' meeting here,

have found there isn't enough cloth

to go around so economy will have to

be practiced in some direction.

CABARET.

Jazz, Dancing, Concerts, July 18, 19 and 20. Summit hotel, Uniontown, Pa.—Adv.—17-17.

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Mrs. Fred Pitham and children of Grove City, have returned home after a visit with the former's mother, Mrs. May James.

The best place to shop after all Brownell Show Company—Adv.

ORE SHIPMENTS

To July 1 Fell Off 5,000,000 Tons, but

Shipments Have Accumulations.

Shipments of iron ore down the lake totalled 7,850,839 tons in June,

NEWS OF THE DAY AT MT. PLEASANT BRIEFLY RELATED

Mrs. William King, Mother of Councilman King, Dies.

PLAN TENTH REUNION TONIGHT

Large Gathering of Persons Interested Expected at Borough Building to Consider Gathering of Veterans on July 31, Second Baptist Service.

Special to the Courier
MOUNT PLEASANT July 1—Funeral services for Mrs. William King will be held at her Parfittown home this afternoon at 2 o'clock in charge of Rev. S. Fulmer pastor of the Church of God of which she was a member. Mrs. King died Monday night after a long illness. She was 68 years old and is survived by her husband and three sons: Councilman Edward King, Norman and Robert King.

Plan for Reunion Tonight.

The mass meeting at the borough building this evening to arrange for the Fighting Tenth reunion on July 31st promises to be a very interesting meeting with a good turnout.

Rev. W. W. Boone Coming.

Rev. W. W. Boone, a former pastor of the local Second Baptist church but now at the Mount Zion Baptist church of Bellevue, Pa. will preach at the Second church on Washington street Sunday at 3 P.M. The Second Baptist church has been organized for over 30 years and is the only organized colored Baptist church in this town.

Personal.

Ralph Stoner has gone to a Sunday school camp at Geneva, Wis. for a two weeks stay.

Mrs. Harry Swartz and son Donald have gone to visit Cleveland, O. friends.

Miss Mildred Giffney of Madison is the guest of her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. John Leonard.

Meyersdale.

MEYERSDALE July 17—Mrs. Lottie Magee and Mrs. H. H. Lang were joint hosts as on Wednesday afternoon when they entertained a large party of their friends at the former's home or Broadway. The ladies present spent the time in doing needlework after which lunch was served.

An interesting game of baseball is scheduled for Friday evening when the Fats and Leans will cross bats. The captains are Eugene Hosteller, fats and F. S. Miller, leaners. Proceeds for the benefit of the Civic League.

Rev. E. D. Burnworth is spending the week in Harrisburg.

Francis J. Drumm, formerly of this place but now of Washington, D. C. visited here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Curley of Cumberland, Md. are staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Curley.

Mrs. Ella Taggart and son Robert of Altoona are guests at the home of the Rev. Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Reh.

Mrs. Gladys Livengood left Wednesday for Johnstown, where she has accepted a position.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walters of Connellsville visited relatives and friends here Tuesday.

Mrs. Louise Snider of Pittsburgh is spending a few weeks visiting at the home of her son in law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Charles Darrow.

Mrs. Harry Sproat of Hyndman is visiting at the C. C. Sides home on Large street.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Hauger and two children of Rockwood are guests of Mrs. Hauger's parents Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Bittner.

Mrs. W. C. Irwin spent Wednesday visiting and shopping in Cumber land.

Rev. and Mrs. A. S. Kresge of Hyndman are spending a few days here with relatives.

Lawrence Hartle who is employed in Philadelphia is spending a few weeks vacation here with his parents Mr. and Mrs. John Hartle.

Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Hallam of Mount Braddock were recent visitors here at the home of the latter's mother Mrs. Emma Hibner.

Vanderbilt.

VANDERBILT July 16—Mrs. W. T. Wilson, Mrs. William Handlin and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel J. Patterson have returned home after attending the camp meeting for a week at Mountain Lake Park, Md. and reported an enjoyable time.

Mrs. J. Covert and Mrs. P. McGill were Pittsburg callers the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Earl Hiron and daughter Ethel of Glassport were guests at the home of Frank Cleel and yesterday.

Mrs. Mary Miller was a Connellsville caller yesterday.

When You Want Anything Then use our classified column. Results will follow.

Women who are losing weight and energy—who look pale and feel languid—need the healthful effects of

**Beecham's
Pills**

Lowest Sale of Any Medicine in the World
Sold everywhere. Is boxes, 10c. 25c.

POWERFUL PILE REMEDY DISCOVERED

TO RECRUIT MEMBERS FOR LEGION DURING UNIONTOWN WELCOME

Has Never Failed to End Most Obstinate Cases of Piles in Few Days.

For years it has been proved that no other remedy can be applied to or inserted in the rectum, cannot cure piles and at the best can only give temporary relief. Surgical operations also do not remove this cause but simply the formation.

This wonderful prescription known as Miro Pile Remedy is so efficient in the treatment of piles that even chronic cases of over 20 years standing with profuse bleeding have been completely cured in from three to ten days. Think of it. Just a few doses of a carefully balanced prescription is about all you need to return to health again. During the days of disease Miro can give it for you on short notice. So why is it worth the little trouble to obtain it to be rid of piles forever?

Important. What is known is that there are no piles in the true sense of the word although the condition may be described as a case of piles.

For this reason Miro Pile Remedy has been prepared as in such cases it is not necessary to take the internal prescription—Adv.

THOMPSON-PIEDMONT DEAL IS RATIFIED BY THE CREDITORS

Ninety-six Per Cent Go on Record for the Sale of Meeting In Uniontown.

With the creditors committee voting 96 per cent of the claims against the J. V. Thompson estate in favor of the ratification of the sale of the estate to the Piedmont Coal company of West Virginia both as to the number of claims and the aggregate amount they represented. Referees in Bankrupt cy J. G. Carroll sitting at a very large attended meeting of the creditors held in Court Room No 1 Uniontown Monday declared that without further notice being taken the sale had been ratified by the creditors.

The other four per cent who were permitted to register their votes which some of them did while others preferred to stand on the exceptions and protest they had filed and refrained from voting.

Dickerson Run.

DICKERSON RUN July 15—Mr.

and Mr. E. J. Beatty Mrs. L. W. Addis and children were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Beatty at Smithfield Sunday.

C. J. Hartnett supervisor of the rough division of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad with his office at McKeensport was transacting business here yesterday.

Thomas F. Moran returned to his home at Sto date last evening after spending two weeks here with his daughter Mrs. James Beatty.

George Stricker son of Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Stricker who has been with the United States Army in France has arrived home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gillespie yes

terday received a message from their son Harry who has been in France over a year with the engineers stat

ing he had landed at Boston Mass

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Budd are the guests of friends at West Newton.

Mrs. J. B. Crouse and son of Pittsburg are spending a few days here visiting friends.

F. J. Mundy spent Sunday with his family at Carnegie.

A. L. Olien of Cabotton was call

ing on friends here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Riser and Ira

Piser of Dawson were the guests

of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Welling Sun

day.

Perryopolis

PPERRYOPOLIS July 15—Mrs. H.

W. Reamer went to Greensburg to meet her daughter Elizabeth who has

been visiting friends and relatives at Philipsburg and Johnstown.

Mrs. Hathburn was a Connellsville

shopper Monday.

Mr. Krush spent Monday with his

family at Connellsville.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Chalfant spent

the week end with relatives at Dur

mon and Uniontown.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Snyder spent

Sunday with relatives at Belle Vernon.

Mrs. Ina Ness was a Connellsville

shopper Monday.

J. Allen Downs of Connellsville was

transacting business in town Tuesday.

Mrs. Harry Crawford of Charlevoix

is visiting her parent Mr. and Mrs.

James Carson.

Lucius Wible left last evening for Uniontown to spend a few days on business.

A. Dull has returned from a week's

vacation spent in Ohio.

Mrs. F. M. Rush was a Connellsville

shopper Tuesday evening.

It's a fact that Mr. Rush is here be

ing a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Whipple

Dan Stull of Bear Run was a caller

here yesterday.

POISON OAK

Wash with weak solu

tion of blue stone or lime water, dry thoroughly follow with high appli

cation of—

VICKS VAPORUM

"YOUR BODYGUARD" 30¢ 50¢ 75¢

"CAP" STUBBS.

YOU MUST STAY FOR DINNER—NO WE WON'T GO TO ANY TROUBLE AT ALL—JUST HAVE WHAT WE WOULD FOR OURSELVES! NOW DO STAY!

OH NOW—

MEAVEN ONLY KNOWS WHI SHE STAYED. WHEN WE HAVEN T A THING IN TH HOUSE TO EAT "CAP" YOULL HAVE TO GO TO TH GROCERY.

WE GONA HAVE ICE CREAM!

CET SOMF CLO JAHM

I'LL GO TO TH JUNK STORE AN' GET TH ICE CREAM YER GONA HAVE ICE CREAM AINT YA?

YER CONNA (N)

WOT'S TH USE HAVIN' LOMP, Y IF YA DON'T HAVE ICE CREAM!

EDWINA (A)

Hits the spot quick!

THAT'S Piel's Kovar, the new sparkling beverage.

Taste the tang of real Saazer hops!—that rich, full, drawn from the wood flavor

IN BOTTLES (10 & 12 oz.)

—for home use

ON DRAUGHT

—SHULER CORN CO.,

100% pure Kovar

Distributors

100 E. Peach St.

Connellsville, Pa.



In Silk Attire My Lady Goes



An underslip of plain white taffeta appears in the picture this particular model having a baby bodice and gathered skirt set on to a waist band. Many underslips are cut like a chemise without a waistband. The most popular silk garment is the envelope chemise of crepe de chine. It is worn over the corset and without bloomers or drawers in warm weather.

But there is a fine chapter to the story when women will discuss "underwear" in end of "undermuslin" for silk has invaded the realm of cotton and is flourishing there astonishingly. Just as the silk stockings is not looked upon now as a luxury but as a necessity of good dressing and its use enormously increased silk undergarments are making place for themselves. Women find them desirable because they are fine and they prove to be as dainty and as durable as fine batiste or other delicately woven cottons. And the sheen and feel of silk are irresistible—It is the easiest thing in the world to cultivate the silk habit and next to impossible to break it.

The shops are showing silk underclothes that are moderately priced along with more silk undergarments that are high priced. But price means nothing to the girl of today—if she has it—she buys the thing she wants when she wants it. There is a popular and a growing demand for silk undergarments which means that the wanted garments will be supplied in increasing numbers and that the prices will not be likely to go higher.

The silk most used for undergarments is crepe de chine in white and flesh pink. For ornament hemstitching French knots, simple embroidery and val or flat lace especially in other sections are all equally popular. Other wash silks in luting taffeta and wash satins and organdies like them as well as crepe de chine. They all wash easily, the crepe looking especially well after a wash. They should be wrung with wringer not twisted in the band folded in a sheet and ironed while still a little damp with an iron that is only moderately hot.

—Vests of Organdie
Organdie vests are a noticeable feature of mass suits. These suits are tailored models with plain white and 32 inch coats developed in serge prints, especially in blue chintz, khaki and black.

Canada to Build Steel Works

A contract for 250,000 tons of ship plates involving five years work and construction of a large rolling plant at Sydney, Nova Scotia at a cost of about \$5,000,000 is let to the Dominion Steel company of Montreal by the government.

Advertise in The Daily Courier

SOISSON THEATRE

Monday, Tuesday July 21-22

Prices Raised to 15c and 30c for This Extraordinary Attraction Only.



Mary Pickford</h

SCOTTDALE SKY PILOT AIDS IN HARVEST FIELD

Rev. I. E. Runk Makes Himself Useful in Various Ways.

OPERATES A FARM TRACTOR

During Pastoral Calls Minister Finds Abundant Crops but Few Harvest Hands and Promptly Tenders His Assistance; First Dance of a Series.

Special to The Courier.—SCOTTDALE, July 17.—The farmers of this community are harvesting greater crops than in years. This is the declaration of Rev. I. E. Runk, pastor of the United Brethren church, who has been laboring in the harvest field with members of his flock. On his pastoral calls the minister's attention was drawn to the abundance of the yield of various farm products, also to the fact that the farmers are short of help. He volunteered his aid and has since been working side by side with the farmer members of his congregation.

On one call the pastor found he could be useful in helping operate a tractor. This he did. Earlier in the season he had witnessed a tractor demonstration and the knowledge gained there was put to good use on the more recent occasion.

Informal dances.

The first of a series of informal dances will be held in Reid hall on Friday evening. The committee in charge is Nevin Mir and Gilbert Gove.

July Clearance Sale.

Scottdale's greatest bargain event starts at 9 o'clock Friday morning, July 18. Adhering to our policy of honest merchandise, truthfully advertised, we come to our semi-annual clearance of all seasonable merchandise in order that our store will be ready to receive the fall shipments which will arrive early in August. We sacrifice prices to such an extent during these sales that all of this vicinity have come to watch and wait for the announcement of the date, and the response is proof of the wonderful opportunity to save from 40 to 50 cents on every dollar spent. All goods are displayed on racks, counters and bins, with the price marked on each article—one price to all—and a price that will convince the most skeptical that we are the underselling store of this community. Read every item on this circular and come early and often.

Brooms, 15c—150 brooms go on sale from 10 to 15 o'clock Friday morning at 15c each. Regular 75c value. Just one to a customer and none sold to children. Bendiner's Broadway Ladies' Store, as you get off the car, Scottdale—Ad.

Personal.

Have that electrical repair work done now. Call the Electric Shop, 270-W. S. C. Freeze, manager.—Ad-12-61.

Miss Elizabeth Wray has gone to Columbus, Ohio, to visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Lee Mellinger will leave tomorrow for Rochester, N. Y., where Mr. Mellinger expects to attend the congress of the American Optical Association and the clinical lectures at the Rochester College of Optometry. They will be gone for 10 days.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas N. Brownfield, a son, at their home here yesterday.

William Bendiner spent yesterday in Pittsburgh.

WILL USE TRUCKS

To Supply Coal to the Industries of Washington and Vicinity.

The Washington Gas Coal company has been organized at Washington, by interests associated with the Canonsburg Gas Coal company, for the purpose of furnishing coal to the local industries of Washington by truck transportation exclusively.

The company, which recently bought a block of 500 acres of coal land north of Washington for \$250,000, is already at work on development of the property. A shaft 230 feet deep and a slope 1,000 feet long will be constructed to reach the coal through two openings.

The organization of the company was prompted by lack of industrial fuel in the past few years, due to shortage of cars and lack of railroad transportation facilities. The mine will have a capacity of 1,500 tons a day, and will furnish part of the coal for local domestic consumption.

It is estimated that \$3,000,000 will be saved in freight through handling the coal of the tract by truck instead of transporting it by railroad.

Would Ban Immigration.

Senator Myers of Montana has introduced a drastic bill in the Senate to prohibit immigration for Germany, Austria, Hungary, Turkey, Bulgaria and their possessions for 50 years and for all other countries for 20 years.

May Aid Historical Societies.

Third class cities are permitted to make appropriations to historical societies by the terms of a bill signed by Governor Sprau on Monday.

Heal Skin Diseases

It is unnecessary for you to suffer with eczema, blisters, ringworm, rashes and similar skin troubles. Zemo, obtained at any drug store for 95c or \$1.00 for a large bottle, is a dermatolytic ointment which gives instant relief from itching, torments. It cleanses and soothes the skin and heals quickly and effectively most skin diseases.

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FULL OPERATION OF STEEL MILLS DEPENDS UPON DISTRIBUTION

0 Demand More Than Upon a Large Increase in General Business Activity; It Now One-Sided.

It has become clear, says the American Metal Market, that operation of the steel industry at its full capacity awaits not so much a large increase in the general business activity of the country as a better and more normal distribution of demand among the various finished steel products. The steel industry is highly specialized as to its finishing departments. Each department must receive its proper quota of orders and as a rule cannot fill orders that belong to other departments. There is some flexibility as between rails, billets and sheet bars, and some as between heavy gauge sheets and light plates, but rod mills and structural mills have nothing in common.

The demand for a number of steel products has so increased that the departments involved are operating at capacity, but this does not help other departments. The lap weld departments of the pipe mills are filled with business for several months ahead, but this does not help the rail mills. The sheet mills promise soon to be operating at capacity but this does not help the plate mills which have an operation of 50 per cent. Other corresponding comparisons could be made.

The situation furnishes striking testimony to the havoc that free play of the law of supply and demand, working out through strictly competitive selling, would work. If there were absolutely free play one would see wire nails selling at fancy prices and wire fencing at very low prices, perhaps cost less overhead. Lap weld pipe would command fancy prices and plates would go begging. Rails would sell at much less than sheet bars and the director general of railroads would not have his complaint that they are priced too high relative to plates.

What the steel industry now needs to round out its activities is rail buying and more steel construction work generally. When the normal condition is for the railroads to take 15 to 25 per cent of the total output of steel it is obvious that the facilities for producing the lines of finished steel required by railroads cannot well be employed in filling orders for totally different classes of construction. As to building in general, dwelling house construction, of which there is much and of which there promises to be more, cannot take the place of factory, hotel and office building erection. Dwelling house construction tends to fill up the wire nail departments and gives some business to butt weld pipe furnaces, but it practically stops there.

Until demand is more normal in its distribution, therefore, a more or less one-sided operation of the steel industry is to be expected. "Full operation does not bring upon business activity alone, but also upon the character of the activity.

Help Rebuild Trans-Siberian Road.

The House has agreed to the proposal of Wilson to contribute \$4,000,000 additional from his emergency fund for rebuilding of the Trans-Siberian railroad in Russia. The railroad will be a joint affair, participated in by Great Britain, France and Japan. The United States has already advanced \$1,000,000.

Scotland Output Smaller.

Scotland's coal output last year was 26,121,424 tons, a decrease of 2,365,224 tons compared with that of 1917. The number of persons employed was 124,477, of whom 96,558 worked underground and 27,919 above ground. In 1917, 130,027 were employed.

Want Help?

Advertise in our Classified Column.

Kills Pesky Bed Bugs P.D.Q.

A two ounce box of P.D.Q. makes a full quart of the best bug-killer ever. Better than a barrel of old-fashioned bug-killer.

P.D.Q. [Peek Devil's Quetus.] Kills like a centaur shell. It settles bedbugs, bees, roaches, ants and chicken lice, and even kills the live pests, but the eggs are still.

P.D.Q. won't injure clothing, carpets, curtains, draperies or wall paper. Try it on the dog and see the fleas flop.

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At the Theatres.



THE PARAMOUNT.

"LOVE AND THE WOMAN"—A forcefully emotional drama with thrills and surprises and two remarkable characterizations by June Elvidge, the popular World star, is being presented today. Miss Elvidge appears in two distinct roles. In one role she is seen as a chamber maid in a cheap hotel, while in the other she is seen as the daughter of a rich man—a young society girl who does not know what poverty and hardships really are. These two roles give Miss Elvidge the greatest possible opportunities for the display of her abilities as an actress and also give wide opportunities for her different costuming. "Love and the Woman" will give you the most interesting sort of entertainment. Be sure to see it. Mary Dorsey seeing the opportunity, substitutes her baby, for the child of a very prosperous man, whose wife dies in the hotel, where Mary works and whose baby is of the same age as her own. As would be expected from such a situation, all sorts of complications ensue and the interest in the drama grows with every foot of film. An interesting weekly review is also being shown.

Friday and Saturday Pauline Frederick, supported by Milton Sills, will be presented in "The Fear Woman," Goldwyn production.

THE SOISSON.

"THE ECHO OF YOUTH"—In which Leah Baird, the well known actress, plays the role of a cabaret singer who has social ambition is today's feature attraction. The story is that of a man highly successful from a worldly standpoint, whose home life is not as happy as it might be, due to the lack of understanding each of the other, on the part of himself and his wife. From out of the shadows of his past comes the ghost of an unconscionable action, committed in his youth and almost forgotten, to haunt him—threatening destruction not alone of the professional standing he has spent his life in building up but also the happiness of a beautiful daughter, a being he loves better than any one on earth, by taking away from her the man to whom she has given her heart. Then, as fate is wont to do, she sweeps away seemingly impossible barriers in a manner that establishes one of the strongest efforts ever written in a playbill—brings the young lovers together again and regenerates the romance in the lives of the persons, giving to each of the characters as reward for sorrow they have suffered a greater happiness in the thought of what might have been. Other members of the cast are Charles Richman and Pearl Shepard. A selected comedy is also being shown.

THE SOISSON.

"DADDY LONG LEGS"—In which Mary Pickford, the idol of the screen, is seen as Judy Abbott, mothered by an ast can, christened by a telephone directory and reared on the whole sale plan, will be presented Monday and Tuesday. Everybody who loves a baby is destined to a treat when they see "Daddy Long Legs." More than a score of the cutest kiddies on the screen add Miss Pickford. The earlier scenes are enacted in a great orphanage asylum where dozens of children, weep, pathetic charges without father, mother or near relatives, or supported by the bounty of John Grier, who

To Hold South American Trade. Government officials express the view that the United States will be able to maintain much of the market it has gained in South America for bituminous coal. A big increase in exports of coal to the southern countries is expected this year, despite a decrease last year.

Become Slender.

Reduced your weight to 90 lbs under 100 QUARTERS by taking 100 of KERIN, the slimming diet drink, sold by KERIN DRUG CO., Laughrey Drug Co., C. Roy Retzel, and others in Connellsville.

ALL 100 QUARTERS DRINKS AND OIL OF KERIN, 100 QUARTERS, BOTTLED FREE BY KERIN DRUG CO., NEW YORK.

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MANAGER GRIFFITH DECLARES WALTER JOHNSON AS GOOD AS HE EVER WAS



Washington Twirler Who is Good for Several Years.

"Walter Johnson has four or five more years before him," declares Manager Clark Griffith of the Nationals.

"Johnson is as good as ever he was," Griff continued. "He is just past his thirty-second birthday and when seen at work he really looks like a youngster."

Asked whether Johnson was suffering with a sore arm this season, the manager replied: "I have never known Walter to have a sore arm. There was talk about his arm being sore at the opening of the season, but it was not so. He was suffering from a bad cold, which caused general indisposition."

GRIFFITH SWEET ON FOSTER

Manager of Nationals Thinks His Third Sacker Is One of Greatest Place Hitters.

Clark Griffith—always an extravagant talker, and at the same time a renowned baseball sage—is ready to boost Foster. Here is a sample:

"I have had on my teams the three greatest place hitters in the history of baseball, and I want to tell you that if the three, Eddie Foster is the best.



Eddie Foster.

The others are Willie Keeler and Hal Chase. Willie taught Hal, and Hal taught Eddie.

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Introduces American Methods. American methods, introduced on the Seine at Paris, of coaching a rowing crew by use of moving pictures, have been the subject of lively discussion among French athletes.

New Pitcher for Senators. Manager Griffith of the Washington club secured Pitcher Whitehouse of the Minneapolis American Association team in exchange for Infelder Davis.

American Coal in Switzerland. American coal is being delivered in Switzerland at a cost from 120 to 150 francs per ton, against 123 francs 40 centimes for German coal. The American coal, however, is delivered unconditionally, while Germany, France and Belgium require return shipments of cattle, condensed milk, cheese and other products.

Railroad Equipment Costly. Equipment purchased by the railroad administration and distributed among the country's railroads is valued at \$400,000,000.

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UNIQUE TRIPLE PLAY

That triple play in a recent Cleveland-St. Louis game was rather odd and deserves detailing. In the fourth inning, with the bases full, Gerber hit a fly to Wood, on which Sister scored from third. Wood's throw was intercepted by Chapman, who found Jacobson and Sloan wandering around off bases, and both runners were retired, what should have been one out thus resulting in three.



DIAMOND NOTES

American soldiers abroad participate in 5,000 baseball games daily.

Right Fielder Miller of Worcester is out of the game with a cracked ankle.

Fang Bodie is a natural hitter. Never took a lesson in his life. He hits by ear.

Fewster doesn't feel well unless he is chased from the bench once or twice a week.

Terre Haute has signed Guy Goger to play first base. He is just out of the army.

Kitty Bransford is being complimented for good work as an umpire in the Eastern league.

Jim Scott lost his first out as a pitcher with the San Francisco team, Oakland, beating him 7 to 6.

Pitcher Pete Shields, who has been with Bridgeport, has been released to Evansville of the Three I league.

Joe Birmingham has found anything but a pleasurable handling the Pittsfield team, with shortage of players, etc.

The Cincinnati club is reported to have offered Little Rock \$5,000 for Charley Grimm for immediate delivery.

The Salt Lake City club announces that it has purchased Infelder Eddie Fitzpatrick from the Boston Nationals.

Red Sox signed Lamar from the Yankees after he had been two years with New York. He was secured from Baltimore.

With the purchase of Bunny Fabrique from Seattle to play short the Los Angeles club gave Freddy Driscoll his release.

First Baseman Kellher of Peoria hit safely in 24 consecutive games. He made 45 hits and scored 25 runs in that stretch.

Ray Bates has been getting a slow start with the Angels. He hasn't done any ball playing to speak of since 1917, and needs considerable limbering up.

Cleveland Steel Companies Merge. Plans are being completed for the consolidation of the Otis Steel company and the Cleveland Furnace company, both located at Cleveland, Ohio. The initial capitalization will be \$5,000,000.

Coal Consumption in East Indies. Consumption of coal in the Dutch East Indies increased in 1914 from 600,000 tons annually to 1,000,000 tons. Before the war 400,000 tons of coal were imported annually, chiefly from Australia and Japan.

COAL OUTPUT

Is 74,500,000 Tons Less Than at Corresponding Date Last Year.

The production of bituminous coal in the week ended July 5 is estimated at 7,429,000 net tons, an average per day for the five working days, of 1,485,000 tons, compared with an average per day of 1,578,000 tons in the previous week, as against 2,050,000 tons in the week ended July 6, 1918.

The production for the calendar year to date was 220,361,000 tons, nearly 74,500,000 tons less than in the corresponding period last year.

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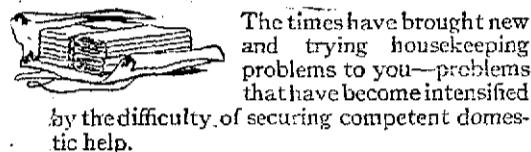
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A Message to Women



The times have brought new and trying housekeeping problems to you—problems that have become intensified by the difficulty of securing competent domestic help.

It has accordingly devolved upon you, as upon other modern women, to be mistress of many things. While acting as mother and business manager in the home, you must also give ear nowadays to appeals of the community for welfare work and social service.

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In an analysis of the earnings of the railroads for the first five months of the year, Frank H. Fayant, assistant to the chairman of the Association of Railroad Executives, find that operating costs have increased to such an extent and cut into net revenue so deeply that the roads face bankruptcy unless freight rates are raised. The government war guarantee of income alone stands between the carriers and bankruptcy.

"The yield on the railroads' investment of \$18,000,000 has fallen to about two and one-half percent, or less than half the rate considered the danger line by the Interstate Commerce Commission in 1914," says Mr. Fayant's analysis.

"Commodity prices, as reflected in the government index number, have risen 100 per cent since the beginning of the war. In the same period railroad wage rates have advanced 85 per cent. The cost of producing transportation, outside of taxes and made up of labor and materials, and the cost of materials, of course, consists largely of labor. The average unit of cost of railroad labor and materials have advanced 90 per cent as a result of the war.

"That the unit cost of operation has not risen the full 90 per cent is due to the steady increasing efficiency of the transportation machinery best seen in the growth of freight trainload. In the last three years of company operation the average trainload was increased from 452 to 507 tons, or 32 per cent. Last year it was raised to 825 tons, a further gain of 5 per cent, or a total of 173 tons, or 38 per cent in the four years.

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"I doubt your knowing Isabel," he said stiffly. "You speak of her as you do because she sides with her brother George, instead of with you and Sydney."

"Poot" Aunt Amelia was evidently in a passion. "You know what's been going on over there, well enough. Frank Bronson! I thought you were a man of the world—don't tell me you're blind! For nearly two years Isabel has been pretending to chaperone Fanny Minafer with Eugene, and all the time she's been dragging that poor fool Fanny around to chaperone her and Eugene! Under the circumstances, she knows people will get to thinking Fanny's a pretty slim kind of chaperone, and Isabel wants to please George because she thinks there'll be less talk if she can keep her own brother around, seeming to approve 'Talk.' Shad better look out! The whole town will be talking the first thing she knows! She—"

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doorway in a panic, for her nephew stood there.

She kept her eyes upon his white face for a few strained moments, then, regaining her nerve, looked away and shrugged her shoulders.

"You weren't intended to hear what I've been saying, George," she said quietly. "But since you seem—"

"Yes, I did."

"So," she shrugged her shoulders again. "After all, I don't know but it's just as well, in the long run."

He walked up to where she sat "You—you—" he said thickly. "It seems—it seems to me you're—you're pretty common."

Old Bronson had risen from his chair in great distress. "You know what's talking now?" because she's piqued over a business matter, George he said. "He doesn't mean what she said and neither she nor anyone else gives them sufficient credit to such foolishness—no one in the world!"

George quivered, and wet lines shone suddenly along his lower eyelids. "They—they'd better not," he said, then stalked out of the room, and out of the house.

Ten minutes later George Amberson, somewhat in the semblance of an angry person plunging out of the man's room, found a pale nephew waiting to accost him.

"I haven't time to talk, George."

"Yes, you have. You'd better."

"What's the 'matter then?'

His namesake drew him away from the vicinity of the house. I want to tell you something I just heard! Aunt Amelia says, in there. She says my mother's on your side about this division of the property, because you're Eugene Morgan's best friend. She said—" George paused to swallow. "She said—" He faltered.

"You look sick," said his uncle and laughed shortly. "If it's because of anything Amelia's been saying I don't blame you! What else did she say?"

"I swallowed again as with nausea, but under his uncle's encouragement he was able to be explicit. "She said my mother wanted you to be friendly to her about Eugene Morgan. She said my mother had been using Aunt Fanny as a chaperone."

Amberson emitted a laugh of disgust. "It's wonderful what tommy-rot a woman in a state of spite can think of! I suppose you don't doubt that Amelia Amberson created this specimen of tommy-rot herself? Of all the damn nonsense!"

George looked at him haggardly. "You're sure people are not talking?"

"Rubbish! Your mother's on my side about this division because she knows Sydney's a pig and always has been a pig, and so has his spiteful wife. I'm trying to keep them from getting the better of your mother as well as from getting the better of me, don't you suppose? Well, they're in a rage because Sydney always could do what he liked with her unless your mother interfered and they know I got Isabel to ask him not to do what they wanted. That's all there is to it!"

"But she said—" George persisted wretchedly; "she said there was talk. She said—"

"Look here, young fellow!" Amberson laughed good-naturedly. "There probably is some harmless talk about the way your Aunt Fanny goes after poor Eugene, and I've no doubt I've

snatched it myself. Fanny was always languishing at him, twenty odd years ago before he left here. Well, we can't blame the poor thing if she's got her hopes up again, and I don't know that I blame her, myself, for using your mother the way she does."

"How do you mean?"

Amberson put his hand on George's shoulder. "You like to tease Fanny," he said, "but I wouldn't tease her about this if I were you. Fanny hasn't got much in her life. In fact, I don't know of anything much that Fanny has got, except her feeling about Eugene. She's always had it—and what's funny to us is pretty much life-and-death to her, I suspect. Now, I'll not deny that Eugene Morgan is attracted to your mother. He is, and that's another case of 'always was,' but I know him, and he's a knight. George—a crazy one, perhaps, if you've read 'Don Quixote.' And I think your mother likes him better than she likes any man outside her own family, and that he interests her more than anybody else—and always has. And that's all there is to it, except—"

"Except what?" George asked quickly, as he paused.

"Except that I suspect—" Amberson chuckled and began over. "I'll tell you in confidence. Fanny used your mother for a decoy duck. She loves everything in the world she can to keep your mother's friendship with Eugene going, because she thinks that's what keeps Eugene about the place, so to speak. Fanny's always with your mother you see, and whenever he sees Isabel he sees Fanny. Fanny thinks he'll get used to the idea of her being around and some day her chance may come! There! D'you see?"

"Well—I suppose so," George's brow was still dark, however. "If you're sure whatever talk there is, is about Aunt Fanny. If that's so—"

"Don't be an ass," his uncle advised him lightly, moving away. "I'm off for a week's fishing to forget that woman in there, and her pig of a husband!" (His gesture toward the mansion indicated Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Amberson.) "I recommend a like course to you, if you're silly enough to pay any attention to such babblings! Good-by!"

George was partially reassured but still troubled a word haunted him like the recollection of a nightmare. "Talk!"

He walked rapidly toward his own front gate. The Victoria was there with Fanny alone, she jumped out briskly and the Victoria waited.

"Where's mother?" George asked sharply.

"At Lucy's. I only came back to get some embroidery, because we found the sun too hot for driving. I haven't time to talk now, George; I'm going right back. I promised your mother—"

"You listen!" said George.

"What on earth—"

He repeated what Amelia had said. This time, however he spoke coldly, without the emotion he had exhibited during the recital to his uncle. Fanny was the one who showed agitation during this interview, for she grew very red, and her eyes dilated. "What on earth do you want to bring such trash to me for?" she demanded, breathing fast.

"I merely wished to know two things: whether it is your duty or mine to speak to father of what Aunt Amelia—"

Fanny stamped her foot. "You little fool!" she cried. "You awful little fool! Your father's a sick man, and you want to go troubling him with an Amberson family row! It's just what that cat would love you to do!"

"Well, I—"

"Tell your father if you like! It will only make him a little sicker to think he's got a son silly enough to listen to such craziness!"

"Then you're sure there isn't any talk?"

Fanny disdained a reply in words. She made a hissing sound of utter contempt and snapped her fingers. Then she asked scornfully: "What's the other thing you wanted to know?"

George's pallor increased. "Whether it mightn't be better under the circumstances," he said, "if this family were not so intimate with the Morgan family—at least for a time—it might be better!"

"Fanny stared at him incredulously. "You mean you'd quit seeing Lucy?"

"I hadn't thought of that side of it, but if such a thing were necessary on account of talk about my mother, I—!" He hesitated unhappily. "I suggested that if all of us—for a time—perhaps only for a time—it might be better."

"See here," she interrupted. "We'll settle this nonsense right now. If Eugene Morgan comes to this house, for instance, to see me, your mother can't get up and leave the place the minute he gets here, can she? What do you want her to do to assist him? Or perhaps you'd prefer she'd insult Lucy? That would do just as well! What is it you're up to, anyhow? Do you really love your Aunt Amelia so much that you want to please her? Or do you really hate your Aunt Fanny so much that you want to—what you want to?"

She choked and sought for her handkerchief, suddenly she began to cry.

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He cheered up, and presently the customarily hostile aunt and nephew were driving out on Amberson Boulevard amably together in the hot sunshine.

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There is a considerable volume of inquiry for contract furnace coke from furnaces not now in blast, while as to furnaces in blast, all the business appears to have been done. While the major portion of the second half contract business was done on a ratio of 64 to one, against basic pig iron at valley furnaces, there was a moderate volume of flat price business. As typical of the business a few cases may be cited. In exceptional instances furnaces preferred to buy from month to month, and one sale at least was made of July coke only, at \$4.00, with prospects that the furnace will pay considerably higher prices later in the year. A contract was made at a regular price of \$4.40, but with \$4.00 as a concession for July only, making an average of \$4.33 for the half year. Another contract was made at a flat price of \$4.25 for the half year. Still another contract, made much later, was at the flat price of \$4.50 for the half year. One furnace bought at \$4.25 for the third quarter and later purchased fourth quarter coke from the same seller at \$4.50, making an average for the half year of \$4.37 1/2. Should basic pig iron stay at \$23.75 for the half year the ratio of contracts would yield \$4.12.

While there is inquiry for coke from furnaces not now in blast operators are unwilling to make quotations. If the furnace has no set date for blowing in there is the objection on the part of the operator that such a contract would be "heads you win, tails I lose." If pig iron should advance the coke would be taken at a time when it would be easy to sell coke or coal, while if it did not advance the furnace would stay out and the coke operator would get nothing. Some of the furnaces now inquiring, however, are willing to set a date when they will blow in, but operators hesitate to quote because they do not believe a price for coke they consider fair. In the circumstances would be at all acceptable to the furnace, and there is no use quoting a price that would simply invite criticism.

Not all coke operators are sure that coke is going to advance sharply later in the year, but the majority of them are very sure that coal is going to do so. With coke at \$4.00 the operator is barely getting his coal value, as the coal market is firm at \$2.25, and charging the coal at that price leaves only 50 cents for conversion into coke, this being probably the minimum cost at any plant while some have higher costs, up to 75 cents. Thus, although flat price contracts have been made at \$4.25 for the half year, and later at \$4.50, no contract market can be quoted, as there is no assurance that furnaces could now buy even at the higher price of \$4.50.

Foundry coke is stronger on all positions. Spot foundry coke is higher and while contract is still quoted at \$5.00 to \$5.50 for the half year there remains scarcely more than one seller at \$5.50 and many are firm at \$5.50 as minimum. As usual, there have been occasional transactions out of the usual run. Thus while the quotation of \$5.50 was generally confined to the half year, there is one case of a contract for the whole twelve months, being made at the price. On the other hand, there is a contract in force at \$5.50 for the half year and at \$6.00 for the first quarter of next year, the whole contract expiring March 31, 1920.

Spot foundry coke has definitely strengthened again. While there is a little coke of quite ordinary quality to be picked up now and then at \$4.75, coke that formerly was bringing only \$4.50, there are several brands that were formerly held at \$5.00 that are now bringing \$5.50 and bringing the price without difficulty. In fact, demand is so good with some operators who have a \$5.50 price that they are not soliciting business. The market is now quoted as follows:

Promt furnace \$4.50
Promt foundry \$4.75
Contract foundry \$5.00

The Pittsburgh district coal market continues to gain in strength. Sales of steam mine-run at under \$2.25 are more or less exceptional. Connellsville coal is bringing \$2.25 for mine-run right along, and higher prices than this are being obtained for export. Gas coal has brought \$2.50 and higher for mine-run, with prices up to \$2.75 paid for screened.

The local pig iron market while not as active as in June is still not without life, there being a fair running demand, chiefly from customers who

are partly covered, but not fully covered for the half year. The complexion of the market has changed whereby it is now largely a seller's market and buyers pay the price with little if any quibble. The market is quoted as follows:

Brasmer	\$21.00
Basic	\$21.75
Foundry	\$22.75
Forge	\$23.75

These prices are f.o.b. Valley furnace, freight to Pittsburg being \$1.40.

Spot furnace, to which coke shipments have been going forward for a week or two, is about to blow in. Weirton, the new stack at Weirton, W. Va., will blow in July 21 and will be a merchant stack until the owners complete their steel plant. Altoona at Sharpsville is likely to blow in very shortly, as is Dover. Cherry Valley is going out for much needed re-lining, and Clinton is about to go out for relining and some general improvements.

**STEEL PRODUCTION
HOLDS STEADY AT
ABOUT 70 PER CENT**

Market Would Be Helped By Orders
From the Railroads; Would
Tend to Equalize Demand.

Special to The Weekly Courier.

NEW YORK, July 16.—The American Metal Market and Daily Iron & Steel Report will review the steel and iron trade tomorrow as follows:

Measured by the production of ingots, the steel mills were operating at about 70 per cent of capacity at the end of June against about 50 per cent at the middle of May, the sharp recovery reflecting the increasing demand for steel that began about the second week in May. Since the first of this month steel production has been practically steady at about 70 per cent of capacity. No large further increase in production of steel is likely until the backward lines, particularly rails, plates and shapes, show more activity. Entrance of the railroads into the market would help greatly, also expansion in large construction work generally. Construction work thus far is confined chiefly to dwelling houses, reflected in heavy demand for nails and for sheets for metal lath and other building material.

Export demand for nearly all products is increasing steadily, and the demand is very widespread geographically.

Japan, China, South America and Africa are good buyers. Surprise was naturally felt upon receipt of a large order for sheets for Holland.

Exports in May represented between 20 and 25 per cent of the month's

production, which was the lightest of the year, but with demand growing the proportion may still possibly obtain with the higher proportion. Shipments to domestic consumers are now fully equal to the heaviest shipments before the war. From this viewpoint the present idle capacity may be ascribed to the new construction that has occurred since 1914, representing an expansion of 40 per cent.

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